DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION A SENATE RESOLUTION memorializing the Congress of the United States to give due consideration to the readiness of the Republic of China on Taiwan for membership in the United Nations. WATERMAN ______, read first time and referred to Committee on



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SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION memorializing the Congress of the United States to give due consideration to the readiness of the Republic of China on Taiwan for membership in the United Nations.

Whereas, the Republic of China on Taiwan ("Taiwan") has established a democratic, multiparty political system, and its show of diplomacy aimed at national unification demonstrates its progressive spirit as a government and a people. Inclusion of Taiwan in the United Nations would only further the universality of this essential global forum;

Whereas, already having provided many developing nations with financial assistance, as well as overseas aid, training, and disaster relief, Taiwan has amply illustrated its concern for the welfare of the world; and

Whereas, the government of Taiwan has accepted the obligations contained in the United Nations Charter and agrees to promote international peace and security. The fundamental right of the 21,000,000 people who comprise Taiwan to be partners in the community of nations should no longer be denied: Therefore'

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Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana State Senate supports the 2 membership of the Republic of China on Taiwan in the United Nations
- 3 and urges due consideration by the Congress of the United States.
- SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
- 5 transmit a copy of this Resolution to the President and Secretary of the
- 6 United States Senate, the Speaker and Clerk of the United States House
- 7 of Representatives, Indiana's Senators and Representatives in Congress,
- 8 and the United Nations General Assembly.



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